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# **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)**

Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following information.

### Timing of the IDS

This IDS is being submitted before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits.

#### **Relevant Publication**

The following motion picture is cited in the present IDS:

Title: 13 Going On 30. Publisher: Sony Pictures.

Date of Publication: April 23, 2004.

Place of Publication: Worldwide.

Because this motion picture has only just been released, a submittable copy (e.g., in the form of VHS or DVD) is not yet available to the public. However, a *New York Post* review of the movie, including some information regarding its plot, is attached.

## **Concise Explanation of Relevance**

In 13 Going On 30, an unhappy 13-year-old girl wishes to be 30 years old. "Magic dust" falls on her head, and in the next scene she wakes up as a 30-year-old version of herself, and the setting is 17 years later, in which: she is a top executive of her childhood favorite magazine; her best friend is the cruel, popular girl of her childhood; she has lost touch

with her childhood best friend; and she has a poor relationship with her parents. Eventually, "magic dust" again falls on her, and she becomes 13 again, at which point she actively attempts to change her life.

#### Conclusion

Applicant respectfully requests a first action on the merits. If the Examiner believes that a telephone conference will further prosecution of the present case, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicant at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew F. Knight)

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